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**From:** Martin, John [martin.john@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 2/26/2019 2:27:16 PM  
**To:** Fife, Greg [fife.greg@epa.gov]; Brozowski, George [brozowski.george@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** FW: City of New Orleans - request for guidance

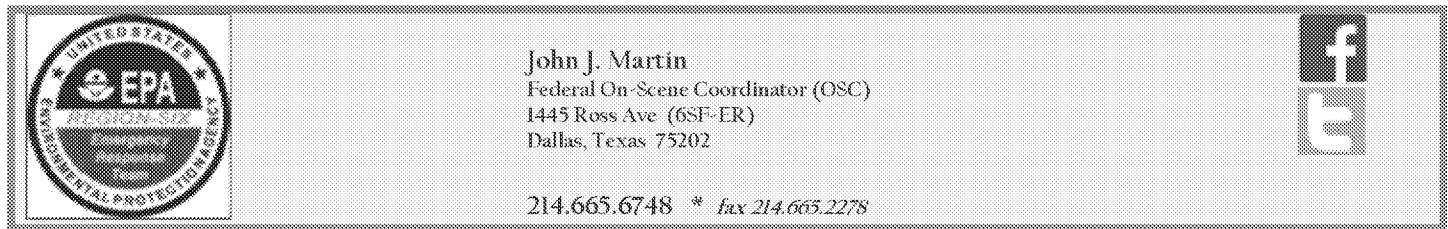
The below email about sum it up. ASPECT found an abnormality during the 2013 SB which we referred to DOE (Interdiction) and they said no big deal. But, the aerial photo that Nick texted me was WSW of the Superdome near a hospital and ball parks. I called and talked to Ms Robles and sent her an email. She was to get back to me. Ms Robles didn't know much but she did seem to support this location.

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**From:** Martin, John  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 05, 2019 4:14 PM  
**To:** Smith, Monica <smith.monica@epa.gov>; Webster, Susan <webster.susan@epa.gov>; Petersen, Chris <petersen.chris@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: City of New Orleans - request for guidance

I just brief Susan on the conversation that I had with Ms Robles. She wanted to find out if there was any funding or federal assistance that could help them. She said that it seemed to be a relatively minor problem until they dug it up. She said that they now estimate that it would be a total of \$523,000 to remove the source/material and disposed. I explain about the Local Gov't Reimbursement program and of course the NCP. I ask for more information such as an assessment report and she said that she would try to find me something. I said that I would forward her the website for the Local Govt Reimbursement program tomorrow morning. She seemed pleased to get any type of help.

Nick remembered about an abnormality that ASPECT detected during the 2013 SB. Per SOP, we provided the info to DOE and they assessed the location. From the image that Nick sent me, it appears to be located in a parking lot near a ball diamond and hospital.



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**From:** Smith, Monica  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 05, 2019 3:28 PM  
**To:** Webster, Susan <webster.susan@epa.gov>; Petersen, Chris <petersen.chris@epa.gov>; Martin, John <martin.john@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: City of New Orleans - request for guidance

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**From:** Edlund, Carl

**Sent:** Tuesday, February 5, 2019 3:23 PM

**To:** Cheryn Robles <[crobles@nola.gov](mailto:crobles@nola.gov)>

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**Subject:** RE: City of New Orleans - request for guidance

Dear Ms. Robles:

Thank you for your call and e-mail note. In our telephone conversation, you asked for EPA guidance on disposal options for radioactive waste. I have asked John Martin, our senior On Scene Coordinator for these kinds of materials, to contact you regarding this concern. His telephone number is 214-665-6784.

In addition, you asked for guidance on procedures for repair of roads on the Agriculture Street Landfill Superfund Site. Ursula Lennox is our Senior Remedial Project Officer responsible for the site. I have asked her to contact you to provide guidance. Her telephone number is 214-665-6743.

Best Regards

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**From:** Cheryn Robles <[crobles@nola.gov](mailto:crobles@nola.gov)>

**Sent:** Friday, February 01, 2019 3:56 PM

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**Subject:** City of New Orleans - request for guidance

Hello Carl,

The City of New Orleans, Department of Public Works needs some guidance on how to address a radioactive site that was discovered during Super Bowl preparations in 2013. We did some excavation and during that work discovered the contaminated site is larger than we expected. We need guidance on how best to remediate. Specifically, we are hoping EPA has a funding source available to address the site. Our current estimate is almost \$500,000.

Look forward to your response.

Cheryn Robles, APR

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**Cc:** Karen Burgard  
**Subject:** Radiation contact

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